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Inmate Death at USP Lompoc

Lompoc, CA: On Sunday, June 21, 2020, at approximately 10:30 a.m., inmate Mamoudou Kaba was found unresponsive at the United States Penitentiary (USP) in Lompoc, California. Responding staff immediately initiated life-saving measures. Staff requested emergency medical services (EMS) and life-saving efforts continued. The inmate was subsequently pronounced deceased by EMS personnel.

Mr. Kaba tested positive for COVID-19 post-mortem. Following a review of the recently received autopsy report, it was determined Mr. Kaba's death was related to COVID-19.

Mr. Kaba was a 24-year-old male who was sentenced in the District of Kansas to an 85-month sentence for Armed Bank Robbery and Use, Carry, and Brandishing a Firearm During and in Relation to a Crime of Violence. He had been in custody at USP Lompoc since July 10, 2019.

USP Lompoc is a medium security facility that currently houses 980 male offenders.

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